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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-captioned application, please amend the application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the heading on page 1, immediately before the first paragraph, as follows:

Field of the Invention

Please add the following heading on page 1, between the first and second paragraphs:

Description of the Related Technology

Please add the following heading on page 1, between the second and third paragraphs:

Summary of Certain Inventive Aspects

The fourth paragraph on page 1 has been amended as follows:

A method for processing data objects, which are arranged in a data space, provides a multidimensional information space with discrete storage locations that represent information objects. Each information object is derived from an information basic object and contains at

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